



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS, 24TH BRIGADE SUPPORT BATTALION
UNIT 23743
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MEMORANDUM FOR Incoming Personnel, 24th Brigade Support Battalion (BSB)

SUBJECT: Welcome to the Deeds Battalion


1. Welcome to the home of the Army's best Brigade Support Battalion! I am Lieutenant Colonel Timothy D. Walsh, and on behalf of our Command Sergeant Major Michael W. Williams Jr., I want to personally welcome you to the Deeds family. Upon your arrival to Baumholder, Germany, you will be assigned to the 24th Brigade Support Battalion (BSB). We will make every effort to make your transition to Baumholder and Germany a successful and comfortable one. I am excited that you are joining the team and am sure you'll find your work here important, challenging, and rewarding. For information about our area and community, the USAG Baumholder installation booklet contains useful information online at http://apps.mhf.dod.mil/pls/psgprod/f?p=107:6:2716076116725369:::P6_INST_ID:1390.

2. The Battalion has a unique structure and operates within the 170th Infantry Brigade Combat Team (IBCT) in Baumholder, Germany. The 24th BSB is organized as a traditional, legacy support battalion and is comprised of a Headquarters and Headquarters Company "Headhunters", a Supply and Transport Company "Avengers", a Maintenance Company "Bonecrushers", and a Medical Company "Cobras" who support the units within the 170th IBCT by providing sustainment support to the BCT through the full spectrum of combat operations.

3. Sponsorship is a top priority and ensures the needs of all Soldiers and Family members arriving here have a smooth transition. You will soon receive a letter or email from your company commander who will assign you a sponsor who will be personally responsible for ensuring you are assisted throughout your transition to Baumholder. Your sponsor will contact you at least 30 days prior to your arrival and upon your arrival in Baumholder will meet you and take you to your lodging arrangements. Throughout your initial in-processing, your sponsor will assist you and your Family with your transition needs. If your sponsor has not confirmed your travel arrangements within 72 hours of your departure, please call the Battalion Staff Duty at 011-49-6783-67577 (from the US), 06783-67577 (from within Germany), or email the 24th BSB Emergency Action Center at 24BSB.EAC@eur.army.mil.

4. The Germany experience is truly a once in a lifetime opportunity with remarkable, cultural activities. Again, welcome to the 24th Brigade Support Battalion. We look forward to your arrival and your contributions to the unit and our community!

"DEEDS NOT WORDS...BAYONET SUPPORT!"


TIMOTHY D. WALSH
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Commanding